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Previous References (Medical) Serial Nos. 1-6
Med 213-ab 851-2

Later References
R 19-34 (C 60-61862)
Med 219-34 851-2

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos. 6

Part B for September 33.

SUBJECT.

Amendments to articles 463 & 465 of the Mysore Service Regulations in the matter of grant of leave on medical Certificate.

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To

G. 1386-7 & 29.8.33.
The Senior Surgeon through Chief Secretary.
The Comptroller

Prescribes certain rules in regard to the acceptance of medical certificates for the purpose of grant of leave to Non-gazetted officers.

4/9/33

REPLY

(To be written on this margin.)

OFFICE OF THE
FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

NOTE.

Dated 7th December *193*1.

In many cases relating to the Press branch it was found that ~~the~~ leave on medical certificate was applied for and recommended on the strength of medical certificates given by some medical men probably not in Government service and countersigned by the District Medical Officer. It was subsequently learnt that the men were not really in need of leave. I should like to know what the procedure is in such cases. Does the District Medical officer see the ~~patients~~ applicants? What responsibility does he take for ~~this~~ the certificates that he countersigns? A few of these certificates may be put up and the Senior Surgeon consulted in the matter as to whether any amendment to the ~~rule~~ existing rules or procedure is necessary.

General Secretary
with compliments.

The Senior Surgeon has agreed in a proposal to delete the rule under Art. 465 of the Nursing Service Regulations & this file has been referred to the Fe Secty.

If this proposal is finally accepted, it will meet the point raised in the Hon Members note.

The Fe Secty was perhaps be asked as to the question raised now.

Gen: Secy)
8.12.31.

General and Revenue Secretariat | G & C File No. 97 of 1931.

Serial No.

1. From the Senior Surgeon
Letter No. G C 113 dated 14.11.1931
Proposes that, for reasons stated, the note under Art 465 of the Nepal Service Regulations may be deleted.

GENERAL SECRETARY. 20 NOV. 1931 No. 3091

Submd for orders. The suggestion may perhaps be adopted:
Genl: Secy may be consulted.
19/11 Mpr
19/11/31

Genl: Secy) 19.11.31

Fin: Secy
I have no objection, but if the suggestion of the S. S. be accepted, the expression medical attendant in articles 463 & 465 will have also similarly to be amended. Both Arts 463 also will have to be. Drafts of amendments to arts 463 & 465 may be called for from the S. S. 9.12.31.

26/11 dd

First Member
I raised this very subject matter in a note that I sent to the Min. He [illegible] that note may be accepted. He found that a certificate issued by a Sub Asst Surgeon contemplated by Sec 465 would quite [illegible]

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A in the linked note.
Hag V.

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Subd with a Dft to the Senior Surgeon
Mr W/ 7 for consideration.
6.1.1932

7.1.32

Genl: Secy)

A.S.

Please see me.

7/1/32

Dft abt

8/1/32

Issue

8/1/32

GENERAL SECRETARIAT
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8. JAN. 1932
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No. G.5674 Dy. 13/1/32 2

To The Senior Surgeon in Mysore.

Enquiries whether Medical Certificates given by a Sub. Asst. Surgeon or a private Medical practitioner & Countersigned by the Medical Officer, the Distt. Medl. officer sees the applicants himself before Countersigning the Certificates given on his behalf & what responsibility does he take for the Certificates that he Countersigns &c.

Sen 15/1/32

GENERAL
15 JAN

Amendment of Arts 463 and 465 M.S.R.
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3	Letter No G.C. 113-2 dt 27.5.32 From the Senia Surgeon furnishes the information called for in Sl 2 supra. 11 The Senia Surgeon states that the term "Medical Attendant" in Arts 463 and 465 may be defined as "One whose name is borne in the Mysore Medical Register. In the case of certificates countersigned by D.M.O, if there is to be a rule that countersignature should be in every case be preceded by a personal examination by the D.M.O. himself, the certificates could as well as straight off be furnished by that officer. 12 He also suggests that for applications for leave not exceeding 2 months, the certificate may be granted by Sub Asst Surgeons in Service and by private practitioners with L.M.P and L.C.P.S Qualifications. 13 For leave for a period not exceeding 6 months he suggests that Medical Graduates in Govt Service and Registered practitioners with any of the qualifications of L.R.C.P M.R.C.S, F.R.C.S. M.D may grant the certificates. For leave exceeding 6 months the Medical Board may grant such certificates. 14. Reference paras 4-5 supra 6.6.32

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Amendment to articles 463 & 465 of MMA

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~~(a) Note to Art 463 does not serve any purpose and may perhaps be omitted.~~

~~(3) The S.S. suggests that "medical attendant" in Arts 463 & 465~~

15 The S.S. suggests that the term "medical attendant" occurring in Arts: 463 and 465 may be defined as "one whose name is borne on the Rangoon Medical Register".

16 No special definition as above seems to be called for in regard to Art. 463 and the note appearing thereunder may perhaps be omitted altogether.

17 The definition may, however appear as a note under Art 465 (in place of the existing note) as follows:-

"The term 'med: attendant' means any subordinate med: officer of the Govt or any private medical Practitioner recognized by the Rangoon Med: Council." (This is an alternative to the one proposed by the S.S.-for consideration.)

18 With ref: to the suggestion in parag: 3 of the D.H.S., it is not quite clear ~~whether~~ where (i) & (ii) mentioned therein should appear. Perhaps it is meant that the certificates in question shd be countersigned by the D-M-O. If so, they have to

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be inserted in Art 465 just after "applicant's health" in line 8.

it may perhaps be inserted as ~~467~~ Art. 467 (which has been deleted)

19 In regard to (iii) ~~in the same parag. the existing procedure is indicated in Art. 467 (a)(b). The present proposal of the S-S. seems to be opposed to that article.~~

20 For orders. Fin: Secy: may be consulted.

GENERAL SECRETARY 16 JUNE 1932 No. 8821

9.6.32

Genl: Secy)

21 For favour of remarks

23/6/32

Fin: Secy)

22 Forwarded with Compliments to the Comptroller for favour of opinion on the proposed amendments

5-7-32

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE 2.0.10 Sp 6 JULY 1932 BII A II BANGALORE.

23 56/Spl.

M.G. 49. BII 5.8.32

Returned with Compliments.

M.G. 49. BII 6.7.32

As stated in para 16 no definition is req^d for the purposes of Article 463. The note may be omitted

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24 The term may be defined as proposed in para 17 in a note to Article 465 the present note being omitted

The proposal in para 3 of the 5th Singe ors letter

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AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES 463 & 465 OF M.S.R.

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dated 27-5-32 seems to be too stringent. The existing rules provide for all such examination. The medical men have only to realise their responsibility. This may be facilitated by confining the power of issuing certificates to registered medical practitioners as proposed in para 17.

4/8/32

Sd/- N. Venkatesachariar
Comptroller

Sec'y 4/8

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In regard to the proposal to exclude Vaidyas and Hakims from the expression 'Medical attendant', kind reference is invited to the discussions in Medical file No. 213-06-2 leading to G.O.No. 10116-155 Med. 213-06-2 dated 2nd May 1907, in which this question was considered and it was thought not objectionable to include Vaidyas and Hakims also in the expression 'Medical attendant'. Who the Medical attendant is in a particular case is a matter of fact and if the Medical man attending on a person is a Vaidyan or Hakim, no amount of rule-making can go behind these facts and can make some body else as his Medical attendant. So long as the Medical attendant's certificate is not conclusive and binding but requires for its validity the countersignature of a recognised Medical authority that Government may prescribe, there is no harm in allowing an officer to present himself for examination before his Medical attendant and produce the certificate furnished by him.

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(1) 1 Though the expression "Medical attendant" is defined in Article 463 (which relates to Gazetted officers), this article requires certificates from Medical officers other than the Medical attendant and does not require a certificate of the Medical attendant. No harm is caused in the note remaining as it is, since no certificate is required to be produced by the Medical attendant whether he is a Vaidyan or Hakim or any body else.

2 Article 465 which relates to non-gazetted officers, consists of two portions. The first portion up to the last sentence deals with the certificate which is to be given by the Medical attendant, which is merely a description of the nature of the case for the information of the District Medical Officer. There is no harm in such a statement being given even by a vaidyan or hakim as it will be acted upon only after it is accepted or countersigned by the District Medical Officer. The rule also allows discretion to the District Medical Officer to insist on the personal attendance of the officer concerned in individual cases for examination, if he is not satisfied with the description contained in the Medical attendant's certificate. To meet the objections of the Senior Surgeon that in many cases the description given may not be clear or complete to the District Medical Officer to arrive at any conclusion and it may be inconvenient to get the officer for Medical Examination by the District Medical Officer it may be enough to provide for the District Medical Officer getting the person examined by the

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the Sub Assistant Surgeon to enable him to arrive at a conclusion in cases in which he considers such a course necessary.

2. The last sentence of Article 465 permits the acceptance of certificates given by the Medical attendant without the countersignature of the District Medical Officer at the discretion of the head of the office, subject to any special rules or orders issued by Government. If it is considered undesirable for the head of the office to take action under this rule on a certificate given by a Vaidyan or Hakim, a time limit (for the period of leave applied for) may, I think, (say 15 days or a month) be placed up to which the certificate may be accepted as for such short periods it may not be necessary to impose unnecessary restrictions. For periods of leave in excess of this limit, the Senior Surgeon's proposals may be accepted. But I would suggest excluding the last clause proposed by him requiring examination by the Medical Board for leave in excess of six months, since the existing rules do not require examination by the Medical Board in respect of leave applied for by the non-gazetted officers whatever the period may be and there appears to be no reason why this restriction should be introduced unnecessarily. For a non-gazetted officer the certificate given by a Medical Graduate or registered practitioner, if necessary with the countersignature of the District Medical officer, appears to be sufficient as at present for even the maximum period of leave. In this view it is not necessary to delete the note

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note or to exclude Vaidyas or Hakims from the expression 'Medical attendant' as suggested by the Senior Surgeon.

29 It is not known whether it is the intention of the Senior Surgeon that the proposals made in para 3 of his letter should apply to Gazetted officers also. At present, in the case of Gazetted officers, the rules require examination by the Medical Board in every case however short the period may be. I do not think the existing rules require any revision in the matter. ~~and~~ the Senior Surgeon's suggestions may be regarded as applying only to Non-gazetted Officers whose case comes under Article 465.

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16/9/32

1 Q.S. M. Speaks RB

G. S. said there was no hurry & the file may be brought to him next week. The Case worker may submit the file in person some time next week. 3.11.32

30) Genl: Secy)

31) The Fin: Secy's Opinion may be accepted RB 7/12/32

32) 1st Member

OFFICE OF THE COUNCIL FINANCE 7 DEC. 1932 No. 4668

33) Papers to be submitted 6-1-33 RB 7/1/33

34) Submitted with a draft G.O. 6-2-33 A typed draft, as revised, is put up RB 9/2/33

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CHIEF SECRETARY
T. F. D. No.
No

35) A typed draft is put up.
11.2.33
Genl: Secy)

36) Please see me
RB
16/2/33.

An alternate Off Lr is put up
37) (Please see the slip in the margin)
Asst MM
15.4.1933.

38)
Genl: Secy)
As.

For approval
29/4/33

CHIEF SECRETARY
27 APR. 1933

3a) Please see me
RB
1/5/33.

Ch. Secy's draft is revised as instructed
3/5/33

Send with a revised Off Lr.
Asst MM 13-5-33

40) Revised draft submitted as instructed.
16/5/33

Please draft up typed draft as revised
12/5

Ch: Secy) 41)

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Will the Ceo bring up
Please send the diff: A.Sy
to the S.S. (in favour of
Remarks
RB
22/5

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Typed Off Sent
Asst MM
16-5-1933

RB (57)
26/5

12) Amendments to Act 4 of 1938 & the Indian Medical Degrees Act

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42) Subd with a draft GO

Sm 26-5-33

43) J 26/5

TYPING SECTION 27 MAY 1933 GEN'L. & REV. SECT

To

The Senior Surgeon

G. 8368 of 31-5-33

Forwards a draft G.O. on the above subject for remarks.

Sm 7-6-1933

From the Senior Surgeon

Do Letter No GC 113-4 d 23-6-1933

Forwards Returns the Draft G.O. with order with his remarks thereon

44) Subd with refce to Chief Secy's order at para 42 and the order of the Member at para

The Sr Surgeon is not in favor of accepting the Certificates given by a Vaidya or Hakim even for grant of leave for short periods not exceeding one month.

The other suggestions made by him may perhaps be accepted

45) The Draft G.O. is for approval these orders.

3/7/33

46) Ch. Secy.

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48) Sd. with a def. in accordance with file opinion of the Senior Surgeon

Basa 20.7.1933 WRB

49) Two drafts are submitted.
No I draft — is the original draft
No II draft — is as per S.S's suggestion.

50) If rule (1) of the I draft is retained and the modifications in Rule (3) and the last para of the f.n. as per suggestions of the S.S. are adopted it will be all right.

21/7/33

51) Ch: Secy)

CHIEF SECRETARY'S OFFICE 21 JULY 1933

52) Will you please see me with this on Monday?

RB 4/8

53) I think it is desirable to accept certificates granted by Vaidyas & Hakkims for short-periods. Also it is not desirable to insist upon C. Signature of D.M.O. in the case of certificates granted by FRCS person with M.D. & the like high qualifications

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Ch: Secy has no objection to accept certificates granted by Vaidyas & Hakkims for short periods. Also it is not desirable to insist upon C. Signature of D.M.O. in the case of certificates granted by FRCS person with M.D. & the like high qualifications

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54) The draft as revised may be adopted

RB 8/8/33

1st Member Thro

8/8

Fin Sy

TYPED & CHECKED 17 AUG 1933 GENL. & REV. SECTT.

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11/8/33 11.8.33. 12/8/33. 7/8

Amendment to Art 463 & 465
of Civil Medical Service Regulations

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General and Revenue Secretariat

Submd for perusal before issue of orders.
2/
25/8/33

DEVENISH 1527
25 AUG 1933

D. Swan)

MMC
25/8/33

RS
26/8/33

26/8

~~Asst. Financial Secretary agreed~~ Ag. Secretary agreed
Draft sent here

29/8

Issue.
30/8/33

Issued

No. G. 1386-7 Dt. 29/8/33 6

To The Senior Surgeon Civil Mysore
Comptroller to Govt. Civil Dept.
Prescribes certain rules in regard to
the acceptance of Medical Certificates for
the purpose of grant of leave to Non-
Gazetted Officers etc.

To the Ag Secretary with file for taking further action.
a copy of the Govt order & return.
of the file

Ag Secretary)

Copy taken
Returned
MKV
2-9-33
SEP 1933
2/9/33

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE
MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

Med. 97-31-1

No G.C 113

Office of the Senior Surgeon in Mysore,

Bangalore, dated the 14-11- 193*1*.

Enc.

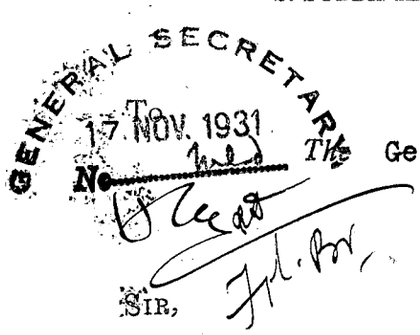
Telegrams:—
Senorgen.

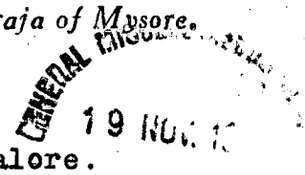
Telephone:—
No. 215

9m 2513

From

S. SUBBA RAO, Esq., B. A., M. B. C. M., M. R. C. S., (Eng.) L. R. C. P., D. P. H.,
Senior Surgeon with the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.





To *The* General Secretary
to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

No Med

SIR,

I have the honour to state that under Article 465 (note)of the Mysore Service Regulations, Vaidyas and Hakims are authorised to issue Medical Certificates for applications of leave of non-gazetted Officers. Often these Medical Attendants are liable to issue wrong certificates open to grave doubt and no explanation in such cases, as might be intelligible to the Countersigning Medical Officer is likely to be elicited. Under such Circumstances the only other course open to the countersigning officer is to send for the party in order to verify the certificates. This means considerable inconvenience as the party may perhaps have to come from long distances to appear before the District Medical Officer. In the event of proved incorrectness of the certificate, no disciplinary action can be taken as these Vaidyas and Hakims are not under departmental control.

To obviate these difficulties, ~~the~~ and in view of the fact that we have Local Fund Dispensaries spread throughout the State within easy reach of every place, I would suggest that only Sub Assistant Surgeons might be authorised to issue these certificates.

In this case there would be the minimum possibility of any misuse of the privilege, as the Sub Assistant Surgeons are under the disciplinary control and can, if necessary, be called to order. They can explain points which require further elucidation, and the certificates when countersigned by the District Medical Officer could reasonably be regarded as authentic.

I would therefore propose that the note under Article 465 of the Mysore Service Regulations may be deleted.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

S. SubbaRao

Senior Surgeon.

C.No.2674/Med 27-31-2

13th January 1932.

R. Ranga Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

The Senior Surgeon in Mysore.

With reference to your letter No.G.C.113 dated 14th November 1931 requesting the deletion of the note under Article 465 of the Mysore Service Regulations. I am directed to state that the expression Medical Attendant in Article 463 and 465 has to be suitably defied or amended and that the note to Article 463 will have also to go.

In this connection, I am to state that that it has come to the notice of Government that in the case of several Press employees, leave on Medical Certificate was applied for and recommended on the strength of Medical Certificate given by a Sub Assistant Surgeon or a Private Medical Practitioner and countersigned by the District Medical Officer and it was subsequently learnt that the men were not really in need of leave. One such certificate relating to Mr.P.S. Ramiah Rangiah Naidu is herewith enclosed for reference and return.

I am to enquire whether in such cases the District Medical Officer sees the applicants himself before countersigning the certificates given on their behalf and what responsibility does he take for the certificates that he countersigns.

On a careful consideration of the above facts, if you consider that any further amendment to the existing rules or procedure is necessary, I am to request that a comprehensive draft amendment to the Mysore Service Regulations so as to cover all the cases under

consideration may be arranged to be submitted to Government early.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

for General Secretary to Government.

ACH.2.

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SUBJECT .....

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Section Med

File No. 97-31

Serial No. 2.

Diary No. of letter replied to 2513

No. G 5674/1

To The Senior Surgeon

General and Revenue Secretariat

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With refer to your Letter No G C 113 d 14.11.1931 requesting the deletion of the word under Art 465 of the Madras Service Regns I am directed to state that the Expression Medical attendant her in Art 463 & 465 ~~will have~~ to be suitably defined or amended & that the word in Art 463 will have also to go. I am therefore to request you to be so good as to submit Draft of amendment to the joint articles viz 463 & 465

Date of issue 13/11/32

Signed by M. M. Rama Rao

List of enclosures .....

Copied by .....

Examined by .....

In this connection, I am to point out state that it has come to the notice of Govt that in the case of several

Press employee, leave on Medical certificate was applied for and recommended on the strength of Medical certificates given by a Sub Asst Surgeon and a private Medical Practitioner and countersigned by the D.M.O. and it was subsequently learnt that the men were not really in need of leave one such certificate relating to Mr P.I. Ramiah Naidu is herewith enclosed for reference and return

I am to enquire whether in such cases ~~I am to request you to be so good what the procedure is in such cases~~

Does the Dr who gives the applicant himself before countersigning the certificates given on their behalf what responsibility does he take for the certificates that he countersigns

On a careful consideration of the above facts, if you consider that any further amendment ~~I am also to request In case you think it necessary~~ ~~Provided that any amendment~~ to the existing rules or procedure is necessary, I am to request that amendment to the Leave Rules so as a comprehensive ~~Act~~ to cover all the cases under consideration may be arranged to be submitted to Govt early.

I have

28/7/52

for Chief Secy

MYSORE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

Telegrams :—
Senorgen

Telephone :—
No. 215

OFFICE OF THE SENIOR SURGEON IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, dated the 27. 5. *1932.*

No. GC 113-2
Enc. 1

G.M. 5681

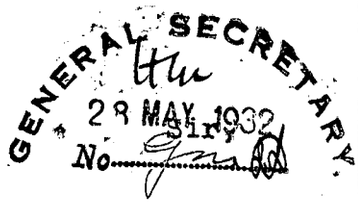
From

S. SUBBA RAO Esq., B.A., M.B.C.M., M.R.C.S., (Eng.) L.R.C.P., D.P.H.,
Senior Surgeon with the Government of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

MD 97-31-3

The ~~Offg. Chief~~ General Secretary
to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.



Sir,

With reference to your letter No. G. 5674/Med 97-31-2 dated the 13th January 1932 regarding the deletion of the Note under Article 465 of the Mysore Service Regulation, and the defining or amendment to the expression "Medical Attendant" in Article 463 and 465, I have the honour to state that in view of the formation of the Mysore Medical Council, the expression 'Medical Attendant' in Article 463 and 465 may be defined as "One whose name is borne on the Mysore Medical Register". This will exclude not only the Hakims and Vaidyans, but even those Medical men who though qualified in the allopathic system are not registered.

In the case of certificates countersigned by the District Medical Officers, the applicants are not usually seen by the District Medical Officer, unless there is some doubt as to the correctness of ~~property~~ propriety of the certificates. If there is to be a rule ~~by~~ that countersignature should in every case be preceded by a personal examination by the District Medical Officer himself, then the certificates could as well straight off be furnished by that officer.

3. For the future, it may be laid down that:

(i) Sub Asst. Surgeons in Government Service and Private Practitioners who hold similar qualifications (L.M.P., L.C.P.S.,) may grant certificates in respect of leave not exceeding two

two months.

(ii) Medical Graduates in Government Service and Registered Practitioners who hold any of the following qualifications (L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., M.R.C.P., F.R.C.S.,M.D.) may grant certificates in respect of leave not exceeding six months.

(iii) For any leave or furlough on grounds of ill health above a period of 6 months a Board may be assembled under the orders of the Senior Surgeon.

The Medical Certificate is herewith returned.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

S. Subba Rao

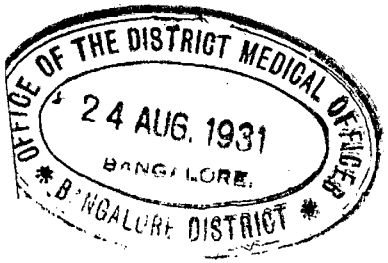
Senior Surgeon.

This is to certify that Mr P.S. Ranganathaiah aged about 52 years, is undergoing treatment for Malaria and anaemia, in G.T. Dispensary Ganigarpet, Bangalore city from 23-7-1931. He is still in a weak state of health, for which he requires rest and treatment for three months more.

Bangalore city
23-8-1931

P.S. Narayanaswamy
Sub. Asst. Surgeon
Ganigarpet Dispensary

Countersigned
B. Krishna Murthy Rao
District Medical Officer,
Bangalore District.
24/8/31



GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

Dated, Bangalore, ~~30th~~ 31st May 1933.

D. O. No. G. 8368/Genl.

Dear Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No. G.C. 113-2 dated 27th May 1932 proposing certain amendments to Act 463 and 465 of the Mysore Service Regulations, I am desired to send enclosed a draft of a Government Order proposed on the subject, for favour of your remarks and to request that the Draft Government order may kindly be arranged to be returned along with your reply.

Yours sincerely,

For Chief Secretary

To

S. Subba Rao, Esq., B.A., M.B.C.M., &c.,
Senior Surgeon in Mysore.

Appendix F G—1]

SUBJECT .....

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Section

File No. 97-31

Serial No. 4

Diary No. of letter replied to ..... A.O. No. 8368/0

To The Senior Surgeon

Dear Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No G C 113-2 dated 27-5-1932 proposing certain amendments to Art 463 & 465 of the Military Service Regulations, I am desired to ~~enclose~~ send enclosed a Draft of a Govt order prepared to be on the subject, ~~and to enquire~~ for favour of ~~if it meets the requirements of the case~~ your remarks & to request that the Draft G.O. may kindly be arranged to be issued along with your reply.

Yours sincerely

L. 26/5

for Ch. Secy.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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D.O. No. G.C. 113-4 Ear

Bangalore, dated 23. 6. *1933*

Enc. 1.

23/6/33.

Med. 97-31-5.

DEAR Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter No. G. 8368 dated the 31st May 1933, enclosing for my remarks a draft of a Government order to regulate the grant of Medical certificates for leave, I note that it is not proposed to define the term " Medical Attendant" so as to limit its application to persons who are registered Medical Practitioners. In the paragraph following, permission is given to the acceptance of certificates for short periods of leave granted by a Medical attendant, including a Vaidya or Hakim. Practical difficulties arise in this connection as almost any one, from the descendant of a Vaidyan ancestor to the self-made dabbler in herbs, can claim to be a vaidyan or hakim and his title cannot be questioned. It would be quite easy for one to obtain a medical certificate from such a non-descript vaidyan or hakim and there would be no choice left but to admit it as an accredited voucher in support of the necessity for the leave.

2. For periods of leave in excess of two months, provision is made for the grant of certificates by (1) Medical Graduates in service and (2) registered Practitioners holding the L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., M.R.C.P., F.R.C.S and M.D., qualifications. This leaves out altogether registered Practitioners holding the M.B.B.S. Degree of the Mysore or other Indian Universities. As a matter of fact, the M.B.B.S's who hold no Government appointments do not come in anywhere at all in the Government order. Registration confers on them one solitary privilege viz., that of granting certificates recognizable under law and their exclusion from the present rules would seem to defeat the objects of the Registration Act.

In the last para the words " nearest Sub Assistant Surgeon" may be replaced by " nearest Medical Subordinate."

The enclosure received is herewith returned.

Yours sincerely,

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To

R. Ranga Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

Proceedings of the Govt. of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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R E A D:-

Correspondence ending with letter No. G.C.113-2, dated 27th May 1932 from the Senior Surgeon forwarding his opinion in the matter of deleting the note under - Article 465 M. S. R. so as to exclude the Medical Certificates granted by Hakims and Vaidyas, proposing certain amendments to Articles 463 and 465 of the Mysore Service Regulations in the matter of grant of leave on medical certificate and adding that the term 'Medical attendant' in Articles 463 and 465, M. S. R. may be defined as one whose name is borne on the Mysore Medical Register.

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ORDER NO. G 1386-7

Dated Bangalore 29 ~~July~~ May 1933.

Government do not consider it necessary to define the term 'Medical attendant' as suggested, and are pleased to prescribe the following rules in regard to the acceptance of Medical Certificates for the purpose of grant of leave to non-gazetted officers:-

(1) The certificates given by a Medical Attendant including a Vaidya or Hakim may, at the discretion of the authority sanctioning the leave be accepted for short periods of leave not

not exceeding ~~one month.~~ 15 days

(2) Sub Assistant Surgeons in Government service and ~~Private~~ Registered Practitioners who hold similar qualifications may grant certificates in respect of leave not exceeding two months.

Whose names are entered in the Reg of the Med Council

(3) For periods of leave in excess of two months and not exceeding 6 months, the Certificates granted by Medical Graduates in Government service and Registered - Practitioners who hold any of the qualifications specified in the margin may be accepted.

M.B. B.S of Mysore Univ
L.R.C.P. ~~&~~ other Univ.
M.R.C.S. M.R.C.P.
F.R.C.S. and M.D.

(4) For periods of leave in excess of 6 months, the countersignature of the District Medical Officer should ordinarily be insisted upon, but it may be dispensed with in the case of persons producing a certificate granted by Govt. Govt. also direct that in cases in which, under Article 466 of the M.S.R. the District Medical Officer considers it necessary to insist on the personal attendance of the officer concerned, but finds it inconvenient to get the officer for Medical Examination, he may before countersigning the certificate granted by the Medical Attendant, get the officer concerned examined by the nearest ~~Sub Assistant Surgeon~~ Medical Subordinate. Necessary amendments to the

Practitioners holding the F.R.C.S. (Edin) M.D. of the Calcutta High Qualifications (Reg)

P.T.O.

the Mysore Service Regulations will issue separately.

Chief Secretary to Government.

To

The Senior Surgeon in Mysore.

The Comptroller to Govt., through ~~P.D.~~

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